

BEFORE THE
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of:

PARENT ON BEHALF OF STUDENT,

v.

SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL
DISTRICT.

OAH Case No. 2014040297

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR
CHANGE OF VENUE

On April 4, 2014, Student filed a Due Process Hearing Request naming Sacramento City Unified School District. This matter is currently set for hearing on November 12-13, and 17-20, 2014. On October 13, 2014, Sacramento City filed a Motion for Change of Venue as it does not have suitable hearing rooms available for the hearing dates. On October 14, 2014, Student filed a notice of non-opposition to the motion.

APPLICABLE LAW AND DISCUSSION

A due process hearing must be conducted “at a time and place that is reasonably convenient to the parents and child involved.” (34 C.F.R. § 300.515(d); see also, Ed. Code, § 56505, subd. (b).

Although due process hearings are usually conduct at the district office, a location that is generally reasonably convenient to the parent and student, Sacramento City is unable to provide hearing rooms that meet the Office of Administrative Hearings’ specifications and proposes a change in location to the OAH offices located in Sacramento. The OAH Sacramento Offices are located less than 11 miles from Sacramento City’s district office. Student lives in Sacramento and does not oppose this motion. Therefore, Sacramento City’s motion for change in venue is granted.

ORDER

The Due Process Hearing will be held at the Sacramento OAH offices located at 2349 Gateway Oaks, Suite 200, Sacramento, California 95833. All dates for hearing remain as previously scheduled

DATE: October 15, 2014

/s/

THERESA RAVANDI
Administrative Law Judge
Office of Administrative Hearings